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MEMORANDUM

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TO:

The Commission

THROUGH:

Alec Palmer

Staff Director

FROM:

Patricia C. Orrock -QC

Chief Compliance Officer

Debbie Chacona AC
Assistant Staff Director
Reports Analysis Division

BY:

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Compliance Branch

SUBJECT:

Reason To Believe Recommendation - 2012 October Quarterly Report (Non-

Election Sensitive) for the Administrative Fine Program

Attached is a list of political committees and their treasurers who failed to file the 2012 October Quarterly Report in accordance with 2 U.S.C. 434(a). The 2012 October Quarterly Report was due on October 15, 2012.

Recommendation

- 1. Find reason to believe that the political committees and their treasurers listed on the RTB Circulation Report violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalties would be the amounts indicated on the RTB Circulation Report.
- 2. Send the appropriate letters.

Federal Election Commission
Reason to Believe Circulation Report
2012 OCTOBER QUARTERLY Not Election Sensitive 10/15/2012 H_S_P_UNAUTH

AF#	Committee	Committee Name	Candidate Name	Treasurer	Threshold	ð	Receipt Date	Days Late	LOA	RTB Penalty
2572	80	ANDREW HUGHES FOR	HUGHES, ANDREW IFITS	JEFF UPTHEGROVE	\$464,937	0		Not Filed	\$92,987 (est)	\$3,850
2573	C00516468	BENNETT FOR SENATE	BENNETT, RICHARD A	JOSHUA A. TARDY	\$439,695	0	10/31/2012	16	\$6,000	\$135
2574	C00519686	BRUCE PELLER FOR	PELLER, BRUCE G	PAULA ANDREA HENAO	\$106,430	0		Not Filed	\$35,477 (est)	\$990
2575	C00493742	BYRON GEORGIOU FOR SENATE	GEORGIOU, BYRON	MATTHEW DICKSON	\$3,490,251	0		Not Filed	\$581,709 (est)	\$11,000
2576	C00508705	COMMITTEE TO ELECT ERNIE BELTZ JR FOR US CONGRESS	BELTZ, ERNIE ALAN JR	NATHAN CHRISTOPHER	\$151,759	0		Not Filed	\$50,586 (est)	\$2,970
2577	C00504266	CONNECTICUT FOR PETER LUMAJ	LUMAJ, PJERIN (PETER)	ANTON RUKAJ	\$527,867	0		Not Filed	\$131,967 (est)	\$4,950
2578	C00506741	DAN HUGHES FOR SENATE	HUGHES, DANIEL J	MICHELLE D. MOONS	\$657,158	0		Not Filed	\$164,290 (est)	\$6,050
2579	C00509471	DAN LILJENQUIST FOR US SENATE	LILJENQUIST, DAN	MIKE	\$1,689,395	0	10/22/2012	7	\$65,867	\$907
2580	C00458422	DR NOREN FOR US SENATE	NOREN, SCOTT ANDREW	RICHARD PARKER	\$103,717	0	11/8/2012	24	\$16,078	\$230
2581	C00504845	ELECT CLARK HALL	HALL, CLARK MADISON	P.R. CLATWORTHY	\$826,596	0	10/22/2012	7	\$11,803	\$145
2582	C00495119	FRIENDS OF HEATHER MCTEER	мстеек, неатнек	MERCIDEES	\$676,411	1		Not Filed	\$135,282 (est)	\$6,187
2583	C00255471	HOOSIERS SUPPORTING BUYER FOR CONGRESS	BUYER, CONGRESSMAN STEVE	STEPHANIE	\$103,304	0	11/19/2012	Not Filed	\$15,938	\$550
2584	C00507004	JACKSON EATON FOR CONGRESS	EATON, J JACKSON	JILLIAN E. O'MALLEY	\$367,922	0		Not Filed	\$122,641 (est)	\$4,950
2585	C00478818	JIM HORN ELECTION COMMITTEE	HORN, JIM	OLIVIA JULIA HORN	\$182,905	1		Not Filed	\$36,581 (est)	\$1,237
2586	C00507590	KATHLEEN HICKS FOR CONGRESS	HICKS, ERIN KATHLEEN	DR. CAMILLE RODRIGUEZ	\$181,748	0		Not Filed	\$45,437 (est)	066\$
2587	C00501965	KELDA FOR CONGRESS	ROYS, KELDA HELEN	LAURENE BACH	\$842,050	0		Not Filed	\$168,410 (est)	\$6,050
2588	C00505529	LAMAR STERNAD FOR CONGRESS	STERNAD, JUSTIN LAMAR	JUSTIN LAMAR STERNAD	\$128,591	0		Not Filed	\$32,148 (est)	066\$
2589	C00517110	LEAH FOR CONGRESS	SCHANDLBAUER, LEAH CAMPOS	JACOB BROWN	\$128,952	0		Not Filed	\$42,984 (est)	066\$
2590	C00503359	MARK OXNER FOR CONGRESS	OXNER, MARK ANTHONY	AMPARO O. OXNER	\$169,903	0		Not Filed	\$42,476 (est)	\$990
2591	C00494187	MODICA FOR SENATE	MODICA, JULIEN	JULIEN MODICA	\$673,796	2		Not Filed	\$224,599 (est)	\$10,725
2592	C00517102	Q. BYRUM HURST FOR CONGRESS	HURST, Q. BYRUM JR	QUINCY B. HURST, III	\$622,264	0		Not Filed	\$155,566 (est)	\$6,050
2593	C00499046	RICH BECKER FOR CONGRESS	BECKER, RICHARD H	JOHN B. MCBRIDE	\$862,207	0		Not Filed	\$51,853	\$2,970
2594	C00468652	RUDY MOISE FOR CONGRESS	MOISE, RUDOLPH	MIRJAM MOISE	\$864,648	٥		Not Filed	\$123,521 (est)	\$4,950

AF#	Committee	Committee Name	Candidate Name	Treasurer	Threshold	₹	Receipt Date	Days Late	LOA	RTB Penalty
2595	C00509620	SALOMON TORRES FOR CONGRESS	TORRES, SALOMON	JUAN E. RIVERA, CPA	\$161,597	0	11/1/2012	17	\$4,097	\$110
2596	C00500439	STEVE HOBBS FOR CONGRESS	HOBBS, STEVE	JIM KAINBER	\$426,831	0		Not Filed	\$85,366 (est)	\$3,850
2597	C00518027	STEVE SALAZAR FOR CONGRESS	SALAZAR, STEVE	ROSARIO RODRIGUEZ	\$221,423	1		Not Filed	\$110,712 (est)	\$6,187
2598	C00497222	SUSAN ADAMS FOR CONGRESS	ADAMS, SUSAN L	TAMARA S. HULL	\$404,348	0		Not Filed	\$67,391 (est)	\$2,970
2599	C00507772	SYLVIA ROMO FOR CONGRESS	ROMO, SYLVIA S	LARRY BENSON	\$189,369	-	11/14/2012	30	\$1,000	\$218
2600	2600 C00494773	TERRY WHITE FOR INDIANA	WHITE, TERRY A	TERRY A. WHITE	\$310,727	0		Not Filed	\$62,145 (est)	\$2,970
2601	965605000	TEXANS FOR KY GRIFFIN	GRIFFIN, KY DOUGLAS	RHONDA	\$140,452	0	11/5/2012	·21	\$13,131	\$215
2602	C00499426	VINSKO FOR CONGRESS	VINSKO, BILL	GARY M. ZINGARETTI	\$313,730	0		Not Filed	\$78,433 (est)	\$3,850
2603	C00497404	WENONA FOR ARIZONA	BALDENEGRO, WENONA RAE BENALLY	SAL	\$231,159	0	11/1/2012	17	\$28,643	\$540
2604	2604 C00511287	WILSON 2012	WILSON, THOMAS	MARY F. GRAETZER	\$321,891	2		Not Filed	\$107,297 (est)	\$7,425

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of)	
Reason To Believe Recommendation - 2012	Ś	
October Quarterly Report (Non-Election	ĺ	
Sensitive) for the Administrative Fine	í	
Program:	í	
ANDREW HUGHES FOR CONGRESS,	Ś	AF# 2572
and JEFF UPTHEGROVE as treasurer;	í	
BENNETT FOR SENATE COMMITTEE,	í	AF# 2573
and JOSHUA A TARDY as treasurer;	Ś	
BRUCE PELLER FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2574
PAULA ANDREA HENAO as treasurer;	Ś	
BYRON GEORGIOU FOR SENATE, and	Ś	AF# 2575
MATTHEW DICKSON as treasurer;)	
COMMITTEE TO ELECT ERNIE BELTZ	Ś	AF# 2576
JR FOR US CONGRESS, and NATHAN	Ś	
CHRISTOPHER as treasurer;	Ś	
CONNECTICUT FOR PETER LUMAJ,	ĺ	AF# 2577
and ANTON RUKAJ as treasurer;	Ś	
DAN HUGHES FOR SENATE, and	Ś	AF# 2578
MICHELLE D MOONS as treasurer;	Ś	
DAN LILJENQUIST FOR US SENATE,	Ś	AF# 2579
and MIKE MCCAULEY as treasurer;	Ś	
DR NOREN FOR US SENATE, and	Ś	AF# 2580
RICHARD PARKER as treasurer;)	
ELECT CLARK HALL, and	Ć	AF# 2581
CLATWORTHY, P.R. as treasurer;)	
FRIENDS OF HEATHER MCTEER, and)	AF# 2582
MERCIDEES MCTEER as treasurer;)	
HOOSIERS SUPPORTING BUYER FOR)	AF# 2583
CONGRESS, and MATTIX, STEPHANIE)	
as treasurer;)	
JACKSON EATON FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2584
JILLIAN E O'MALLEY as treasurer;	j.	
JIM HORN ELECTION COMMITTEE,	j.	AF# 2585
and OLIVIA JULIA HORN as treasurer;	j.	
KATHLEEN HICKS FOR CONGRESS,	ĺ	AF# 2586
and DR CAMILLE RODRIGUEZ as	Ć	
treasurer;	Ś	
KELDA FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2587
LAURENE BACH as treasurer;)	
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LAMAR STERNAD FOR CONGRESS,	١	AF# 2588
and JUSTIN LAMAR STERNAD as) \	Λιπ 2500
treasurer;) 1	
LEAH FOR CONGRESS, and JACOB	ì	AF# 2589
BROWN as treasurer;	ì	14 // 2507
MARK OXNER FOR CONGRESS, and	,)	AF# 2590
AMPARO O OXNER as treasurer:	ì	1411 2000
MODICA FOR SENATE, and JULIEN	í	AF# 2591
MODICA as treasurer;	í	
Q. BYRUM HURST FOR CONGRESS,	í	AF# 2592
and HURST, QUINCY B. III as treasurer;	í	
RICH BECKER FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2593
MCBRIDE, JOHN B as treasurer;)	
RUDY MOISE FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2594
MOISE, MIRJAM as treasurer;)	
SALOMON TORRES FOR CONGRESS,)	AF# 2595
and JUAN E RIVERA CPA as treasurer;)	
STEVE HOBBS FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2596
JIM KAINBER as treasurer;)	
STEVE SALAZAR FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2597
ROSARIO RODRIGUEZ as treasurer;)	
SUSAN ADAMS FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2598
TAMARA S HULL as treasurer;)	
SYLVIA ROMO FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2599
LARRY BENSON as treasurer;)	
TERRY WHITE FOR INDIANA, and)	AF# 2600
TERRY A WHITE as treasurer;)	
TEXANS FOR KY GRIFFIN, and)	AF# 2601
RHONDA GRIFFIN as treasurer;)	
VINSKO FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2602
ZINGARETTI, GARY M as treasurer;)	
WENONA FOR ARIZONA, and)	AF# 2603
BALDENEGRO, SAL as treasurer;)	
WILSON 2012, and MARY F GRAETZER)	AF# 2604
as treasurer;)	

CERTIFICATION

I, Shawn Woodhead Werth, Secretary and Clerk of the Federal Election

Commission, do hereby certify that on December 04, 2012 the Commission took the
following actions on the Reason To Believe Recommendation - 2012 October

Quarterly Report (Non-Election Sensitive) for the Administrative Fine Program as
recommended in the Reports Analysis Division's Memorandum dated November 30,
2012, on the following committees:

AF#2572 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that ANDREW HUGHES FOR CONGRESS, and JEFF UPTHEGROVE as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2573 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that BENNETT FOR SENATE COMMITTEE, and JOSHUA A TARDY as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2574 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that BRUCE PELLER FOR CONGRESS, and PAULA ANDREA HENAO as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2575 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that BYRON GEORGIOU FOR SENATE, and MATTHEW DICKSON as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2576 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that COMMITTEE TO ELECT ERNIE BELTZ JR FOR US CONGRESS, and NATHAN CHRISTOPHER as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2577 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that CONNECTICUT FOR PETER LUMAJ, and ANTON RUKAJ as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2578 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that DAN HUGHES FOR SENATE, and MICHELLE D MOONS as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2579 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that DAN LILJENQUIST FOR US SENATE, and MIKE MCCAULEY as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2580 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that DR NOREN FOR US SENATE, and RICHARD PARKER as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2581 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that ELECT CLARK HALL, and CLATWORTHY, P.R. as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2582 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that FRIENDS OF HEATHER MCTEER, and MERCIDEES MCTEER as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2583 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that HOOSIERS SUPPORTING BUYER FOR CONGRESS, and MATTIX, STEPHANIE as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2584 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that JACKSON EATON FOR CONGRESS, and JILLIAN E O'MALLEY as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2585 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that JIM HORN ELECTION COMMITTEE, and OLIVIA JULIA HORN as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2586 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that KATHLEEN HICKS FOR CONGRESS, and DR CAMILLE RODRIGUEZ as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2587 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that KELDA FOR CONGRESS, and LAURENE BACH as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2588 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that LAMAR STERNAD FOR CONGRESS, and JUSTIN LAMAR STERNAD as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2589 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that LEAH FOR CONGRESS, and JACOB BROWN as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on

the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2590 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that MARK OXNER FOR CONGRESS, and AMPARO O OXNER as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2591 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that MODICA FOR SENATE, and JULIEN MODICA as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2592 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that Q. BYRUM HURST FOR CONGRESS, and HURST, QUINCY B. III as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2593 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that RICH BECKER FOR CONGRESS, and MCBRIDE, JOHN B as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2594 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that RUDY MOISE FOR CONGRESS, and MOISE, MIRJAM as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2595 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that SALOMON TORRES FOR CONGRESS, and JUAN E RIVERA CPA as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2596 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that STEVE HOBBS FOR CONGRESS, and JIM KAINBER as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a)

and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2597 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that STEVE SALAZAR FOR CONGRESS, and ROSARIO RODRIGUEZ as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2598 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that SUSAN ADAMS FOR CONGRESS, and TAMARA S HULL as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2599 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that SYLVIA ROMO FOR CONGRESS, and LARRY BENSON as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2600 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that TERRY WHITE FOR INDIANA, and TERRY A WHITE as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2601 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that TEXANS FOR KY GRIFFIN, and RHONDA GRIFFIN as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2602 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that VINSKO FOR CONGRESS, and ZINGARETTI, GARY M as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2603 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that WENONA FOR ARIZONA, and BALDENEGRO, SAL as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount

indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2604 Decided by a vote of 6-0 to: (1) find reason to believe that WILSON 2012, and MARY F GRAETZER as treasurer violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and make a preliminary determination that the civil money penalty would be the amount indicated on the report; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Bauerly, Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

Date 4, 0012

Shawn Woodhead Werth

Secretary and Clerk of the Commission



December 5, 2012

Jim Kainber, in official capacity as Treasurer Steve Hobbs for Congress 3309 114th Drive, NE Lake Stevens, WA 98258

C00500439 AF#: 2596

Dear Mr. Kainber:

The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act"), requires that your committee file an October Quarterly Report of Receipts and Disbursements every calendar year. This report, covering the period through September 30, 2012, shall be filed no later than October 15, 2012. 2 U.S.C. 434(a). Records at the Federal Election Commission ("FEC") indicate that this report was not filed within thirty (30) days of the due date. You should file this report if you have not already done so.

The Act permits the FEC to impose civil money penalties for violations of the reporting requirements of 2 U.S.C. § 434(a). 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(4). On December 4, 2012, the FEC found that there is reason to believe ("RTB") that Steve Hobbs for Congress and you, in your official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a) by failing to file timely this report on or before October 15, 2012. Based on the FEC's schedules of civil money penalties at 11 CFR § 111.43, the amount of your civil money penalty calculated at the RTB stage is \$3,850. Please see the attached copy of the Commission's administrative fine regulations at 11 CFR §§ 111.30-111.55. Attachment 1. The Commission's website contains further information about how the administrative fine program works and how the fines are calculated. See http://www.fec.gov/af/af.shtml. 11 CFR § 111.34. Your payment of \$3,850 is due within forty (40) days of the finding, or by January 13, 2013, and is based on these factors:

Sensitivity of Report: Not Election Sensitive

Level of Activity: \$85,366 Number of Days Late: Not Filed

Number of Previous Civil Money Penalties Assessed: 0

At this juncture, the following courses of action are available to you:

1. If You Choose to Challenge the RTB Finding and/or Civil Money Penalty

If you should decide to challenge the RTB finding and/or calculated civil money penalty, you must submit a written response, including the AF# found at the top of page 1 under your committee's identification number, to the FEC's Office of Administrative Review, 999 E Street,

NW, Washington, DC 20463. Your response must be received within forty (40) days of the Commission's RTB finding, or January 13, 2013. 11 CFR § 111.35(a). Your written response must include the reason(s) why you are challenging the RTB finding and/or calculated civil money penalty, and must include the factual basis supporting the reason(s) and supporting documentation. The FEC strongly encourages that documents be submitted in the form of affidavits or declarations. 11 CFR § 111.36(c).

The FEC will only consider challenges that are based on at least one of three grounds: (1) a factual error in the RTB finding; (2) miscalculation of the calculated civil money penalty by the FEC; or (3) your demonstrated use of best efforts to file in a timely manner when prevented from doing so by reasonably unforeseen circumstances that were beyond your control. 11 CFR § 111.35(b). In order for a challenge to be considered on the basis of best efforts, you must have filed the required report no later than 24 hours after the end of these reasonably unforeseen circumstances. Id. Examples of circumstances that will be considered reasonably unforeseen and beyond your control include, but are not limited to, (1) a failure of Commission computers or Commission-provided software despite your seeking technical assistance from Commission personnel and resources; (2) a widespread disruption of information transmissions over the Internet that is not caused by a failure of the Commission's or your computer systems or Internet service provider; and (3) severe weather or other disaster-related incident. 11 CFR § 111.35(c). Examples of circumstances that will not be considered reasonably unforeseen and beyond your control include, but are not limited to, (1) negligence; (2) delays caused by vendors or contractors; (3) treasurer and staff illness, inexperience or unavailability; (4) committee computer, software, or Internet service provider failures; (5) failure to know filing dates; and (6) failure to use filing software properly. 11 CFR § 111.35(d).

The "failure to raise an argument in a timely fashion during the administrative process shall be deemed a waiver" of your right to present such argument in a petition to the U.S. district court under 2 U.S.C. § 437g. 11 CFR § 111.38.

If you intend to be represented by counsel, please advise the Office of Administrative Review. You should provide, in writing, the name, address and telephone number of your counsel and authorize counsel to receive notifications and communications relating to this challenge and imposition of the calculated civil money penalty.

2. If You Choose Not to Pay the Civil Money Penalty and Not to Submit a Challenge

If you do not pay the calculated civil money penalty and do not submit a written response, the FEC will assume that the preceding factual allegations are true and make a final determination that Steve Hobbs for Congress and you, in your official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a) and assess a civil money penalty.

Unpaid civil money penalties assessed through the Administrative Fine regulations will be subject to the Debt Collection Act of 1982 ("DCA"), as amended by the Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996, 31 U.S.C. § 3701 et seq. The FEC may take any and all appropriate action authorized and required by the DCA, as amended, including transfer to the U.S. Department of the Treasury for collection. 11 CFR § 111.51(a)(2).

3. If You Choose to Pay the Civil Money Penalty

If you should decide to pay the calculated civil money penalty, send the enclosed remittance form, along with your payment, to the FEC at the address on page 4. Upon receipt of your payment, the FEC will send you a final determination letter.

This matter was generated based on information ascertained by the FEC in the normal course of carrying out its supervisory responsibilities. 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(2). It will remain confidential in accordance with 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(4)(B) and 437g(a)(12)(A) until it is placed on the public record in accordance with 11 CFR § 111.42, unless you notify the FEC in writing that you wish the matter to be made public.

As noted earlier, you may obtain additional information on the FEC's administrative fine program, including the final regulations, on the FEC's website at http://www.fec.gov/af/af.shtml. If you have questions regarding the payment of the calculated civil money penalty, please contact Sari Pickerall in the Reports Analysis Division at our toll free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5) or (202) 694-1130. If you have questions regarding the submission of a challenge, please contact the Office of Administrative Review at our toll free number (800) 424-9530 (press 0, then ext. 1660) or (202) 694-1660.

On behalf of the Commission,

Caroni C. Hunter

Caroline C. Hunter

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ADMINISTRATIVE FINE REMITTANCE & PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

In accordance with the schedule of penalties at 11 CFR § 111.43, the amount of your civil money penalty calculated at RTB is \$3,850 for the 2012 October Quarterly Report.

Please mail this remittance with a check or money order made payable to the Federal Election Commission to the following address:

Federal Election Commission P.O. Box 979058 St. Louis, MO 63197-9000

If you choose to send your remittance and payment by courier or overnight delivery, please use this address:

U.S. Bank - Government Lockbox FEC #979058 1005 Convention Plaza Attn: Government Lockbox, SL-MO-C2GL St. Louis, MO 63101

The remittance and your payment are due by January 13, 2013. Upon receipt of your remittance and payment, the FEC will send you a final determination letter.

PAYMENTS BY PERSONAL CHECK

Personal checks will be converted into electronic funds transfers (EFTS). Your account will be electronically debited for the amount on your check, usually within 24 hours, and the debit will appear on your regular statement. We will destroy your original check and keep a copy of it. In case the EFT cannot be processed for technical reasons, you authorize us to process the copy in lieu of the original check. Should the EFT not be completed because of insufficient funds, we may try to make the transfer twice.

PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN THE PORTION BELOW WITH YOUR PAYMENT

FOR: Steve Hobbs for Congress

FEC ID#: C00500439

PAYMENT DUE DATE: January 13, 2013

PAYMENT AMOUNT DUE: \$3,850

AF#: 2596





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February 22, 2013

MEMORANDUM

SENSITIVE

TO:

The Commission

THROUGH:

Alec Palmer

Staff Director

FROM:

Patricia C. Orrock

Chief Compliance Officer

Debbie Chacona ASSISTANT Staff Director
Reports Analysis Division

BY:

Modi Winship/Sari Pickerall

Compliance Branch

SUBJECT:

Administrative Fine Program -Final Determination Recommendation for the

2012 October Quarterly Report (Non-Election Sensitive)

Attached are two lists of political committees and their treasurers against which the Commission has found reason to believe (RTB) and assessed proposed civil money penalties calculated at RTB for failure to file or failure to timely file the 2012 October Quarterly Report (Non-Election Sensitive). The first list represents the committees that have paid the civil money penalty and the second list represents the committees that have not paid the civil money penalty. The committees that have not paid have been given at least forty (40) days from the date of the Commission's RTB finding to remit payment.

In accordance with 11 CFR § 111.34 and 11 CFR § 111.40, the Commission shall send a final determination notice to those respondents that have either paid or not paid the civil money penalty.

For your information, seventeen (17) committees disclosed a level of activity after the RTB finding which would result in a lowered civil money penalty. Of these, thirteen (13) committees will be assessed a civil money penalty at Final Determination (FD) that has been reduced since the RTB finding, and four (4) committees will be assessed a civil money penalty of \$0 at FD. An overview of each of these cases has been provided below.

Andrew Hughes for Congress (AF 2572) filed the 2012 Year End Report with coverage dates including the October Quarterly period after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$26,521 (previously estimated to be \$92,987), thus the fine would be lowered from \$3,850 to \$990.

Bruce Peller for Congress (AF 2574) filed the 2012 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$4,000 (previously estimated to be \$35,477), thus the fine would be lowered from \$990 to \$250.

Byron Georgiou for Senate (AF 2575) filed the 2012 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$78 (previously estimated to be \$581,709), thus the fine would be lowered from \$11,000 to \$78.

Committee to Elect Ernie Beltz, Jr. for US Congress (AF 2576) filed the 2012 Termination Report with coverage dates including the October Quarterly period after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$50,586), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$2,970).

Connecticut for Peter Lumaj (AF 2577) filed the 2012 Termination Report with coverage dates including the October Quarterly period after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$586 (previously estimated to be \$131,967), thus the fine would be lowered from \$4,950 to \$250.

Dan Hughes for Senate (AF 2578) filed the 2012 Termination Report with coverage dates including the October Quarterly period after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$354 (previously estimated to be \$164,290), thus the fine would be lowered from \$6,050 to \$250.

Friends of Heather McTeer (AF 2582) filed the 2012 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$22,709 (previously estimated to be \$135,282), thus the fine would be lowered from \$6,187 to \$687.

Jackson Eaton for Congress (AF 2584) filed the 2012 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and

disbursements of \$2,879 (previously estimated to be \$122,641), thus the fine would be lowered from \$4,950 to \$250.

Kathleen Hicks for Congress (AF 2586) filed the 2012 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$45,437), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$990).

Leah for Congress (AF 2589) filed the 2012 Termination Report with coverage dates of the October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$15,026 (previously estimated to be \$42,984), thus the fine would be lowered from \$990 to \$550.

Q. Byrum Hurst for Congress (AF 2592) filed the 2012 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$3,994 (previously estimated to be \$155,566), thus the fine would be lowered from \$6,050 to \$250.

Rudy Moise for Congress (AF 2594) filed the 2012 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$72,975 (previously estimated to be \$123,521), thus the fine would be lowered from \$4,950 to \$2,970.

Steve Hobbs for Congress (AF 2596) filed the 2012 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$33,930 (previously estimated to be \$85,366), thus the fine would be lowered from \$3,850 to \$990.

Steve Salazar for Congress (AF 2597) disclosed no activity after the RTB finding (previously estimated to be \$110,712), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$6,187).

Terry White for Indiana (AF 2600) filed the 2012 Termination Report with coverage dates including the October Quarterly period after the RTB finding and disclosed no activity (previously estimated to be \$62,145), which would result in no civil money penalty (fine previously assessed to be \$2,970).

Vinsko for Congress (AF 2602) filed the 2012 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$4,524 (previously estimated to be \$78,433), thus the fine would be lowered from \$3,850 to \$250.

Wilson 2012 (AF 2604) filed the 2012 October Quarterly Report after the RTB finding and disclosed an actual level of activity which would result in a lowered civil money penalty than that assessed at RTB. The committee disclosed total receipts and disbursements of \$10,897 (previously estimated to be \$107,297), thus the fine would be lowered from \$7,425 to \$825.

In addition, two (2) committees detailed below designated a new Treasurer after the RTB finding:

- Friends of Heather McTeer (AF 2582) filed an Amended Statement of Organization after the RTB finding designating Dexter Toney as Treasurer (see second list);
- Terry White for Indiana (AF 2600) filed an Amended Statement of Organization designating Philip Schnautz as Treasurer (see second list).

RAD Recommendation

- (1) Make final determination that the political committees and their treasurers on the attached reports violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalties so indicated.
- (2) Make final determination that the political committees and their treasurers listed on the attached reports with no activity, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a) and will not be assessed a civil money penalty.
- (3) Send the appropriate letters.

Federal Election Commission
FD Circulation Report Fine Paid
2012 OCTOBER QUARTERLY Not Election Sensitive 10/15/2012 H_S_P_UNAUTH

	Committee Name	Candidate Name	Committee	Treasurer	Receipt Date	Days Late	FOA	2	RTB Date	RTB Penalty	Receipt Days Late LOA PV RTB Date RTB Penalty Final Money Date Paid Date	Date Paid	Amount
BENNET	BENNETT FOR SENATE	BENNETT, RICHARD A	C00516468	JOSHUA A. TARDY	10/31/2012	16	\$6,000	-	12/04/2012	\$135	\$135	01/15/2013	\$135
ELECT	ELECT CLARK HALL	HALL, CLARK MADISON	C00504845	P.R. CLATWORTHY 10/22/2012	10/22/2012		\$11,803	0	12/04/2012	\$145	\$145	12/26/2012	\$145
100SIER BUYER F	HOOSIERS SUPPORTING BUYER FOR CONGRESS	BUYER, CONGRESSMAN STEVE	C00255471	C00255471 STEPHANIE MATTIX 11/19/2012 Not Filed \$15,938	11/19/2012	Not Filed	\$15,938	0	12/04/2012	\$550	\$550	01/08/2013	\$550
MARK	MARK OXNER FOR CONGRESS	OXNER, MARK ANTHONY C00503359 AMPARO O. OXNER 12/18/2012 Not Filed \$28,466	C00503359	AMPARO O OXNER	12/18/2012	Not Filed	\$28,466	0	12/04/2012	066\$	\$990	01/14/2013	\$990
SALOMO	SALOMON TORRES FOR CONGRESS	TORRES, SALOMON	C00509620	C00509620 JUAN E. RIVERA, CPA 11/01/2012	11/01/2012	21	\$4,097	0	12/04/2012	\$110	\$110	01/16/2013	\$110
EXANS	2601 TEXANS FOR KY GRIFFIN	GRIFFIN, KY DOUGLAS	C00509596	RHONDA GRIFFIN 11/05/2012	11/05/2012	21	\$13,131	0	\$13,131 0 12/04/2012	\$215	\$215	01/08/2013	\$215

Federal Election Commission
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Committee Name	r +	Candidate Name	Committee	Treasurer	Receipt Date	Days Late	roy	2	RTB Date	RTB Penalty	RTB Penalty Days Since RTB	FD Penalty
ANDREW HUGHES FOR HUGHES, ANDREW IFITS CONGRESS	HUGHES, ANDREW	FITS	C00499491	JEFF UPTHEGROVE	02/19/2013	Not Filed	\$26,521	٥	12/04/2012	\$3,850	80	\$990
BRUCE PELLER FOR PELLER, BRUCE G	PELLER, BRUCE O		C00519686	PAULA ANDREA HENAO	01/24/2013	Not Filed	\$4,000	0	12/04/2012	066\$	08	\$250
BYRON GEORGIOU FOR GEORGIOU, BYRON SENATE	GEORGIOU, BYRON		C00493742	MATTHEW DICKSON	12/17/2012	Not Filed	878	0	12/04/2012	\$11,000	08	\$78
COMMITTEE TO ELECT ERNIE BELTZ JR FOR US BELTZ, ERNIE ALAN JR CONGRESS	BELTZ, ERNIE ALAN JI	· ·	C00508705	NATHAN CHRISTOPHER	02/05/2013	Not Filed	\$0	0	12/04/2012	\$2,970	90	NONE
CONNECTION FOR PETER LUMAJ, PJERIN (PETER)	LUMAJ, PJERIN (PETER		C00504266	ANTON RUKAJ	12/28/2012	Not Filed	\$586	0	12/04/2012	\$4,950	90	\$250
DAN HUGHES FOR SENATE HUGHES, DANIEL J	HUGHES, DANIEL J	П	C00506741	MICHELLE D. MOONS	11/21/2012	Not Filed	\$354		12/04/2012	\$6,050	980	\$250
DR NOREN FOR US SENATE NOREN, SCOTT ANDREW	NOREN, SCOTT ANDREY	~	C00458422	RICHARD PARKER	11/08/2012	24	\$16,078	0	12/04/2012	\$230	80	\$230
FRIENDS OF HEATHER MCTEER, HEATHER MCTEER	MCTEER, HEATHER		C00495119	DEXTER TONEY	02/01/2013	Not Filed	\$22,709	-	12/04/2012	\$6,187	80	\$687
JACKSON EATON FOR EATON, J JACKSON CONGRESS	EATON, J JACKSON		C00507004	JILLAN E. O'MALLEY	01/18/2013	Not Filed	\$2,879	0	12/04/2012	\$4,950	90	\$250
JIM HORN ELECTION COMMITTEE	HORN, JIM		C00478818	OLIVIA JULIA HORN		Not Filed	\$36,581 (est)	-	12/04/2012	\$1,237	80	\$1,237
KATHLEEN HICKS FOR HICKS, ERIN KATHLEEN CONGRESS	HICKS, ERIN KATHLEEN		C00507590	DR. CAMILLE RODRIGUEZ	01/03/2013	Not Filed	0\$	0	12/04/2012	066\$	08	NONE
KELDA FOR CONGRESS ROYS, KELDA HELEN	ROYS, KELDA HELEN	т	C00501965	LAURENE BACH	12/26/2012	Not Filed	\$153,223	٥	12/04/2012	\$6,050	80	\$6,050
LAMAR STERNAD FOR STERNAD JUSTIN LAMAR CONGRESS	STERNAD, JUSTIN LAMAR		C00505529	JUSTIN LAMAR STERNAD		Not Filed	\$32,148 (est)	0	12/04/2012	\$990	80	\$990
ress sc	SCHANDLBAUER, LEAH	 	C00517110	JACOB BROWN	12/31/2012	Not Filed	\$15,026	0	12/04/2012	066\$	99	\$550
MODICA FOR SENATE MODICA, JULIEN	MODICA, JULIEN	-	C00494187	JULIEN MODICA		Not Filed	\$224,599 (est)	2	12/04/2012	\$10,725	80	\$10,725
O. BYRUM HURST FOR HURST, Q. BYRUM JR. CONGRESS	HURST, Q. BYRUM JR	_	C00517102	QUINCY B. HURST, III	01/14/2013	Not Filed	\$3,994	0	12/04/2012	\$6,050	80	\$250
RICH BECKER FOR BECKER, RICHARD H	BECKER, RICHARD H		C00499046	JOHN B. MCBRIDE	01/31/2013	Not Filed	\$51,869	0	12/04/2012	\$2,970	80	\$2,970
RUDY MOISE FOR MOISE, RUDOLPH CONGRESS	MOISE, RUDOLPH		C00468652	MIRJAM MOISE	01/08/2013	Not Filed	\$72,975	0	12/04/2012	\$4,950	80	\$2,970
STEVE HOBBS FOR HOBBS, STEVE CONGRESS	HOBBS, STEVE		C00500439	JIM KAINBER	02/01/2013	Not Filed	\$33,930	0	12/04/2012	\$3,850	80	\$990
STEVE SALAZAR FOR SALAZAR, STEVE CONGRESS	SALAZAR, STEVE		C00518027	ROSARIO RODRIGUEZ		Not Filed	\$0	1	12/04/2012	\$6,187	80	NONE
SYLVIA ROMO FOR ROMO. SYLVIA S CONGRESS	ROMO, SYLVIA S		C00507772	LARRY BENSON	11/14/2012	30	\$1,000	-	12/04/2012	\$218	80	\$218
TERRY WHITE FOR INDIANA WHITE, TERRY A	WHITE, TERRY A		C00494773	PHILIP SCHNAUTZ	01/11/2013	Not Filed	80	0	12/04/2012	\$2,970	80	NONE
VINSKO FOR CONGRESS VINSKO, BILL	VINSKO, BILL	П	C00499426	GARY M. ZINGARETTI	01/31/2013	Not Filed	\$4,524	0	12/04/2012	\$3,850	80	\$250
WENONA FOR ARIZONA BALDENEGRO, WENONA RAE BENALLY	BALDENEGRO, WENON	 ≶	C00497404	SAL BALDENEGRO	11/01/2012	17	\$28,643	0	12/04/2012	\$540	80	\$540
WILSON 2012 WILSON, THOMAS	WILSON, THOMAS	П	C00511287	MARY F. GRAETZER	02/08/2013	Not Filed	\$10,897	2	12/04/2012	\$7,425	8	\$825

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of)	
)	
Administrative Fine Program - Final)	
Determination Recommendation for the)	
2012 October Quarterly Report (Non-)	
Election Sensitive):)	
ANDREW HUGHES FOR CONGRESS,)	AF# 2572
and JEFF UPTHEGROVE as treasurer;)	
BENNETT FOR SENATE COMMITTEE,)	AF# 2573
and JOSHUA A. TARDY as treasurer;)	
BRUCE PELLER FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2574
PAULA ANDREA HENAO as treasurer;)	
BYRON GEORGIOU FOR SENATE, and)	AF# 2575
MATTHEW DICKSON as treasurer;)	
COMMITTEE TO ELECT ERNIE BELTZ)	AF# 2576
JR FOR US CONGRESS, and NATHAN)	
CHRISTOPHER as treasurer;)	
CONNECTICUT FOR PETER LUMAJ,)	AF# 2577
and ANTON RUKAJ as treasurer;)	
DAN HUGHES FOR SENATE, and)	AF# 2578
MICHELLE D MOONS as treasurer;	•)	٠
DR NOREN FOR US SENATE, and)	AF# 2580
RICHARD PARKER as treasurer;)	
ELECT CLARK HALL, and)	AF# 2581
CLATWORTHY, P.R. as treasurer;)	
FRIENDS OF HEATHER MCTEER, and)	AF# 2582
TONEY, DEXTER as treasurer;)	
HOOSIERS SUPPORTING BUYER FOR)	AF# 2583
CONGRESS, and MATTIX, STEPHANIE)	
as treasurer;)	
JACKSON EATON FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2584
JILLIAN E O'MALLEY as treasurer;)	
JIM HORN ELECTION COMMITTEE,)	AF# 2585
and OLIVIA JULIA HORN as treasurer;)	
KATHLEEN HICKS FOR CONGRESS,)	AF# 2586
and DR CAMILLE RODRIGUEZ as)	
treasurer;)	

KELDA FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2587
LAURENE BACH as treasurer;	Ć	
LAMAR STERNAD FOR CONGRESS,	j.	AF# 2588
and JUSTIN LAMAR STERNAD as)	
treasurer;)	
LEAH FOR CONGRESS, and JACOB)	AF# 2589
BROWN as treasurer;	ĺ	
MARK OXNER FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2590
AMPARO O OXNER as treasurer;	ĺ	
MODICA FOR SENATE, and JULIEN)	AF# 2591
MODICA as treasurer;)	
Q. BYRUM HURST FOR CONGRESS,)	AF# 2592
and HURST, QUINCY B. III as treasurer;)	
RICH BECKER FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2593
MCBRIDE, JOHN B as treasurer;)	
RUDY MOISE FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2594
MOISE, MIRJAM as treasurer;)	
SALOMON TORRES FOR CONGRESS,)	AF# 2595
and JUAN E RIVERA CPA as treasurer;)	
STEVE HOBBS FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2596
JIM KAINBER as treasurer;)	
STEVE SALAZAR FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2597
ROSARIO RODRIGUEZ as treasurer;)	
SYLVIA ROMO FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2599
LARRY BENSON as treasurer;)	
TERRY WHITE FOR INDIANA, and)	AF# 2600
PHILIP SCHNAUTZ as treasurer;)	
TEXANS FOR KY GRIFFIN, and)	AF# 2601
RHONDA GRIFFIN as treasurer;)	
VINSKO FOR CONGRESS, and)	AF# 2602
ZINGARETTI, GARY M as treasurer;	•)	
WENONA FOR ARIZONA, and)	AF# 2603
BALDENEGRO, SAL as treasurer;)	
WILSON 2012, and MARY F GRAETZER)	AF# 2604
as treasurer;)	

CERTIFICATION

I, Shawn Woodhead Werth, Secretary and Clerk of the Federal Election

Commission, do hereby certify that on February 26, 2013 the Commission took the

following actions on the Administrative Fine Program - Final Determination

Recommendation for the 2012 October Quarterly Report (Non-Election Sensitive) as
recommended in the Reports Analysis Division's Memorandum dated February 22,

2013, on the following committees:

AF#2572 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that ANDREW HUGHES FOR CONGRESS, and JEFF UPTHEGROVE as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2573 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that BENNETT FOR SENATE COMMITTEE, and JOSHUA A. TARDY as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2574 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that BRUCE PELLER FOR CONGRESS, and PAULA ANDREA HENAO as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2575 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that BYRON GEORGIOU FOR SENATE, and MATTHEW DICKSON as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2576 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that COMMITTEE TO ELECT ERNIE BELTZ JR FOR US CONGRESS, and NATHAN CHRISTOPHER as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2577 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that CONNECTICUT FOR PETER LUMAJ, and ANTON RUKAJ as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2578 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that DAN HUGHES FOR SENATE, and MICHELLE D MOONS as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2580 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that DR NOREN FOR US SENATE, and RICHARD PARKER as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2581 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that ELECT CLARK HALL, and CLATWORTHY, P.R. as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2582 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that FRIENDS OF HEATHER MCTEER, and TONEY, DEXTER as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2583 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that HOOSIERS SUPPORTING BUYER FOR CONGRESS, and MATTIX, STEPHANIE as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2584 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that JACKSON EATON FOR CONGRESS, and JILLIAN E O'MALLEY as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2585 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that JIM HORN ELECTION COMMITTEE, and OLIVIA JULIA HORN as treasurer, violated 2

U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2586 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that KATHLEEN HICKS FOR CONGRESS, and DR CAMILLE RODRIGUEZ as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2587 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that KELDA FOR CONGRESS, and LAURENE BACH as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2588 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that LAMAR STERNAD FOR CONGRESS, and JUSTIN LAMAR STERNAD as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2589 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that LEAH FOR CONGRESS, and JACOB BROWN as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2590 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that MARK OXNER FOR CONGRESS, and AMPARO O OXNER as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2591 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that MODICA FOR SENATE, and JULIEN MODICA as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2592 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that Q. BYRUM HURST FOR CONGRESS, and HURST, QUINCY B. III as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2593 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that RICH BECKER FOR CONGRESS, and MCBRIDE, JOHN B as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2594 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that RUDY MOISE FOR CONGRESS, and MOISE, MIRJAM as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2595 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that SALOMON TORRES FOR CONGRESS, and JUAN E RIVERA CPA as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2596 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that STEVE HOBBS FOR CONGRESS, and JIM KAINBER as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2597 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that STEVE SALAZAR FOR CONGRESS, and ROSARIO RODRIGUEZ as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2599 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that SYLVIA ROMO FOR CONGRESS, and LARRY BENSON as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2600 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that TERRY WHITE FOR INDIANA, and PHILIP SCHNAUTZ as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2601 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that TEXANS FOR KY GRIFFIN, and RHONDA GRIFFIN as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and

assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2602 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that VINSKO FOR CONGRESS, and ZINGARETTI, GARY M as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2603 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that WENONA FOR ARIZONA, and BALDENEGRO, SAL as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

AF#2604 Decided by a vote of 5-0 to: (1) make a final determination that WILSON 2012, and MARY F GRAETZER as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. 434(a) and assess the final civil money penalty so indicated; (2) send the appropriate letter. Commissioners Hunter, McGahn II, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

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Secretary and Clerk of the Commission



February 27, 2013

Jim Kainber, in official capacity as Treasurer Steve Hobbs for Congress 3309 114th Drive NE Lake Stevens, WA 98258

C00500439 AF#: 2596

Dear Mr. Kainber:

On December 4, 2012, the Federal Election Commission ("the Commission") found reason to believe ("RTB") that Steve Hobbs for Congress and you, in your official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a) for filing late or failing to file the 2012 October Quarterly Report. By letter dated December 5, 2012, the Commission notified you of the RTB finding and the preliminary civil money penalty calculated at the RTB stage to be \$3,850 in accordance with the schedule of penalties at 11 CFR § 111.43. Within forty (40) days of the FEC's RTB finding, you were required to either transmit payment of the calculated civil money penalty or submit a written response challenging either the RTB finding or the calculated civil money penalty.

The FEC did not receive payment of the calculated civil money penalty or a written response within the time permitted. Since that time, the amount of the civil money penalty has been changed to reflect the actual level of activity of the 2012 October Quarterly Report. The FEC made a final determination on February 26, 2013 that Steve Hobbs for Congress and you, in your official capacity as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. § 434(a) and assessed a civil money penalty in the amount of \$990 in accordance with 11 CFR § 111.43. The civil money penalty is based on these factors:

Election Sensitivity of Report: Not Election Sensitive

Level of Activity: \$33,930

Number of Days Late: Not Filed (reports not filed within thirty (30) days of the due date are

considered not filed for the purposes of calculating the penalty)

Number of Previous Civil Money Penalties Assessed: 0

At this juncture, the following courses of action are available to you:

1. If You Choose to Appeal the Final Determination and/or Civil Money Penalty

If you choose to appeal the final determination, you should submit a written petition, within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter, to the district court of the United States for the

district in which the committee or you reside, or transact business, requesting that the final determination be modified or set aside. See 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(4)(C)(iii). Your failure to raise an argument in a timely fashion during the administrative process shall be deemed a waiver of the respondents' right to present such argument in a petition to the district court under 2 U.S.C. § 437g. 11 CFR § 111.38.

2. If You Choose Not to Pay the Civil Money Penalty and Not to Appeal

Unpaid civil money penalties assessed through the Administrative Fine regulations will be subject to the Debt Collection Act of 1982 ("DCA") as amended by the Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996 ("DCIA"), 31 U.S.C. § 3701 et seq. If you do not pay this debt within thirty (30) days (or file a written petition to a federal district court - see below), the Commission will transfer the debt to the U.S. Department of the Treasury ("Treasury") for collection. Within five (5) days of the transfer to Treasury, Treasury will contact you to request payment. Treasury currently charges a fee of 28% of the civil money penalty amount for its collection services. The fee will be added to the amount of the civil money penalty that you owe. Should Treasury's attempts fail, Treasury will refer the debt to a private collection agency ("PCA"). If the debt remains unpaid, Treasury may recommend that the Commission refer the matter to the Department of Justice for litigation.

Actions which may be taken to enforce recovery of a delinquent debt by Treasury may also include: (1) offset of any payments, which the debtor is due, including tax refunds and salary; (2) referral of the debt to agency counsel for litigation; (3) reporting of the debt to a credit bureau; (4) administrative wage garnishment; and (5) reporting of the debt, if discharged, to the IRS as potential taxable income. In addition, under the provisions of DCIA and other statutes applicable to the FEC, the debtor may be subject to the assessment of other statutory interest, penalties, and administrative costs.

In accordance with the DCIA, at your request, the agency will offer you the opportunity to inspect and copy records relating to the debt, the opportunity for a review of the debt, and the opportunity to enter into a written repayment agreement.

3. If You Choose to Pay the Civil Money Penalty

If you should decide to pay the civil money penalty, send the enclosed remittance form, along with your payment, to the address on page 4 within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter.

The confidentiality provisions at 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12) no longer apply and this matter is now public. The file will be made a part of the public record pursuant to 11 CFR § 111.42(b). Although the file must be placed on the public record within thirty (30) days from the date of the Commission's notification, this could occur at anytime following certification of the Commission's vote.

If you have any questions regarding the payment of the civil money penalty, please contact Sari Pickerall at Federal Election Commission, 999 E St., NW, Washington, DC 20463, or our toll free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt, press 5) or (202) 694-1130.

On behalf of the Commission,

Ellen L. Weintraul

Ellen L. Weintraub Chair

ADMINISTRATIVE FINE PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

In accordance with the schedule of penalties at 11 CFR § 111.43, the civil money penalty is \$990 for the 2012 October Quarterly Report.

This penalty should be paid by check or money order made payable to the Federal Election Commission. It should be sent by mail to:

Federal Election Commission PO Box 979058 St. Louis, MO 63197-9000

If you choose to send your payment by courier or overnight delivery, please use this address:

U.S. Bank - Government Lockbox FEC #979058 1005 Convention Plaza Attn: Government Lockbox, SL-MO-C2GL St. Louis, MO 63101

The form and payment are due within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter.

Payments by Personal Check

Personal checks will be converted into electronic funds transfers (EFTs). Your account will be electronically debited for the amount on the check, usually within 24 hours, and the debit will appear on your regular statement. We will destroy your original check and keep a copy of it. In case the EFT cannot be processed for technical reasons, you authorize us to process the copy in lieu of the original check. Should the EFT not be completed because of insufficient funds, we may try to make the transfer twice.

PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN THE PORTION BELOW WITH YOUR PAYMENT

FOR: Steve Hobbs for Congress

FEC ID#: C00500439

AF#: 2596

PAYMENT AMOUNT DUE: \$990

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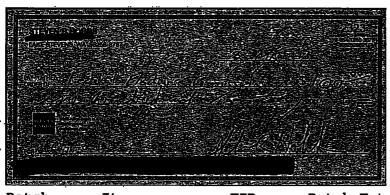
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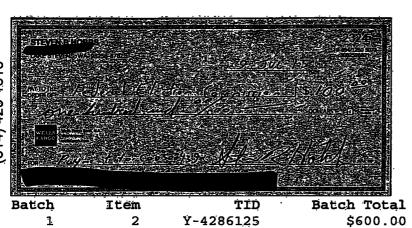
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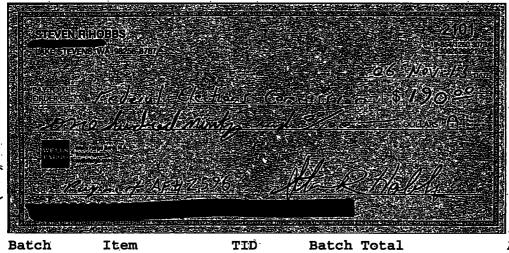
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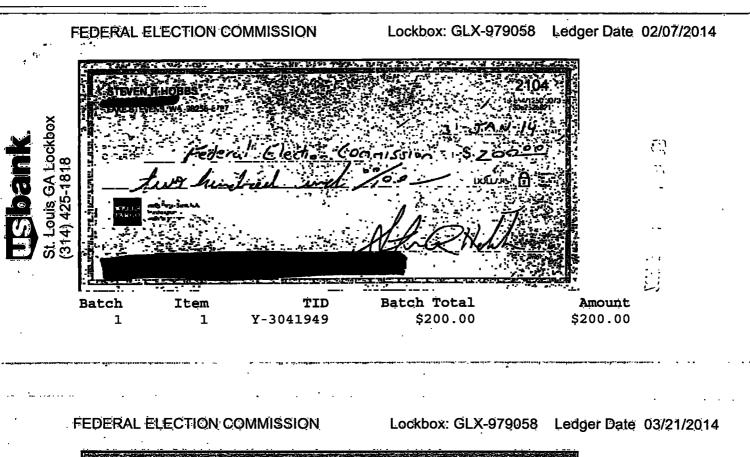


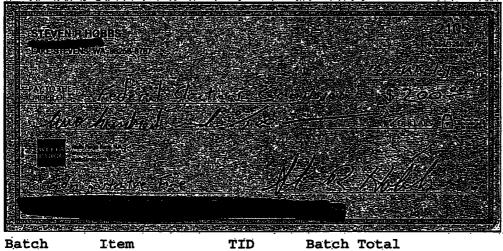
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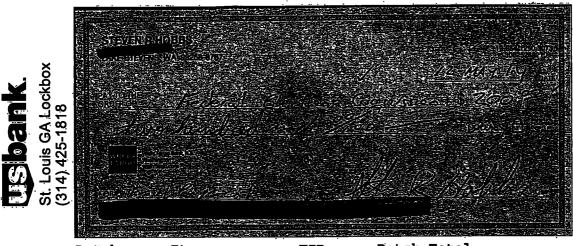
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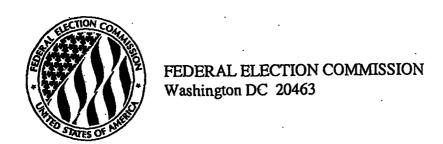


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